

House Amendment 8441

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1 1 Amend Senate File 2298, as amended, passed, and
1 2 reprinted by the Senate as follows:
1 3 #1. Page 166, by inserting after line 19 the
1 4 following:
1 5 1 6 of identification shall conduct a pilot project to
1 7 evaluate the use of brain fingerprinting as a pretrial
1 8 investigative technique, including, but not limited
1 9 to, the effectiveness of brain fingerprinting as a
1 10 method of reducing investigatory costs by assisting in
1 11 determining whether a suspect has knowledge of
1 12 specific information regarding a crime and the
1 13 effectiveness of brain fingerprinting as a method of
1 14 reducing trial costs by increasing the number of
1 15 defendants who choose to plead guilty and avoid a
1 16 trial. The pilot project shall be conducted pursuant
1 17 to a contract with an Iowa business that has
1 18 experience using brain fingerprinting technology in
1 19 actual criminal cases. The contract shall contain a
1 20 provision under which the business agrees to forgo
1 21 reimbursement of its expenses regarding the pilot
1 22 project up to \$108,000, unless the division determines
1 23 that, as a result of conducting the pilot project, the
1 24 state of Iowa realizes a savings of at least \$108,000.
1 25 The division, in consultation with the contracting
1 26 business, shall file a report regarding the results of
1 27 the pilot project with the cochairpersons and ranking
1 28 members of the joint appropriations subcommittee on
1 29 the justice system and the legislative services agency
1 30 by January 15, 2005.>
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